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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
(SER.B)

AMENDMENTS TO THE ANDHRA PRADESH SECRETARIAT SERVICE
RULES, 1998.

[G.O.Ms.No.18, General Administration (Ser.B), 19th February, 2021.]

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Service Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.445, General Administration (Ser.B) Department, Dated:29th October, 1998, and as subsequently amended from time-to-time:

AMENDMENTS

In the said rules;

(1) In Rule-2, in Class-A, under Category-(1), after item (a), the following shall be inserted, namely,-

“(aa) Special Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre), Finance Department”.

(2) In Rule-3, in the table, under Class-A, after item-1 (a) and after the corresponding entries shown in columns (2) and (3) respectively, the following shall be inserted, namely,-

(2)	(3)
(aa) Special Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre), Finance Department	By promotion of Additional Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre), Finance Department.

(3) In Rule-6, for the third proviso, the following shall be substituted, namely,-

"Provided also that the above stipulation of minimum service shall not be applicable for appointment to the post of Additional Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre) including Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre) in Law Department and Special Secretary to Government (Non-Cadre), Finance Department. Only approved probationers, who have satisfactorily completed the period of probation are eligible for promotion as per Rule-8 of the Andhra Pradesh State & Subordinate Service Rules and as per Rule-7 of the Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Service Rules".

(4) In Rule-10, for sub-rule (1) (a), the following shall be substituted namely,-

"(1) Preparation of panels of Special Secretary (Non-Cadre), Finance Department, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries and Deputy Secretaries to Government (Non-Cadre):

(a) The panels shall be drawn up and the names therein shall be arranged in the order of preference by the Chief Secretary, in consultation with such of the Secretaries to Government as he considers necessary, for appointment to the categories of Special Secretary (Non-Cadre), Finance Department, Additional Secretary or Joint Secretary or Deputy Secretary in each of the units of appointment specified in Rule-8".

ADITYA NATH DAS,
Chief Secretary to Government.

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